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Interested Persons

Notice for Written Comment Period for Tentative Order No. R9-2007-0002

On April 11, 2007, a panel of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region, (Regional Board) received verbal testimony, closed the public hearing, and established April 25, 2007 as the close of the written comment period for Tentative Order No. R9-2007-0002, the proposed NPDES waste discharge requirements for Municipal Separate Storm Water Sewers (MS4) in Orange County (the Orange County MS4 Requirements). Written comments on the Tentative Order must be received by the Regional Board prior to 5:00 PM on April 25, 2007 in order to be considered. The panel directed Regional Board staff to implement the following schedule for the development of Orange County MS4 Requirements:

- 1. A Revised Tentative Order with updated supporting documents, as necessary, will be distributed by June 15, 2007 along with responses to written comments received prior to 5:00 PM on April 25, 2007.
- 2. Written comments on the Revised Tentative Order will be accepted by the Regional Board until 5:00 PM on July 30, 2007, or for 45 days following its distribution if distribution occurs after June 15, 2007.
- 3. The Regional Board intends to consider adoption of the revised Tentative Order at its tentatively-scheduled meeting on August 8, 2007. Written comments or testimony received by the close of the 45-day comment period will be provided to the Regional Board prior to the August 8, 2007 public meeting. An additional public hearing is not expected to be conducted for proposed Orange County MS4 requirements, although interested persons may comment on the Revised Tentative Order at the meeting tentatively-scheduled for August 8, 2007.

If you wish to receive future notices and information on this specific project, please subscribe to the electronic emailing list titled "Orange County MS4 Permit" located on the web page http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/misc/mailing lists.html.

Additional information on the Tentative Order may be found on the Regional Board website at: http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/programs/oc_stormwater.html
Please contact Mr. Jeremy Haas at (858) 467-2735 or via e-mail at jhaas@waterboards.ca.gov for information regarding Tentative Order No. R9-2007-0002.

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